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Applicant : Michael Patrick Stafira

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Method(s) Therefor

Docket No. : 2007P11313

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT under 37 CFR § 1.116

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated February 26, 2009 kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.